

# Governor's Commission for a Drug Free Indiana

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## Comprehensive Community Plan

**County: Tipton**

**LCC: Tipton County Council on Alcohol Tobacco and Other Drugs**

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## Plan Summary

**Mission Statement:** We are a dedicated group of individuals who have volunteered for a common cause. Each one of us represents a different point of view within Tipton County. We are doctors and nurses, teachers and clergy, public servants and officers of the law, activists and concerned citizens. We each bring a separate agenda to the table. Each of us holds a stake in the success of this council.

The mission of the Tipton County Council on Alcohol Tobacco and Other Drugs is three-fold:

To increase awareness about the dangers of alcohol, tobacco and other drugs among county residents:

To identify specific concerns facing Tipton County and coordinate solutions for those concerns:

To support the design, development, and maintenance of those solutions.

The goal of the Tipton County Council on Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drugs is to organize and collaborate effort to both prevent and assist with crises resulting from the use and abuse of alcohol, tobacco and other drugs.

**History:** The Tipton County Council on Alcohol Tobacco and Other Drugs has been active in Tipton County since 1989, but the first full Comprehensive Plan was not approved until the mid-1990s. Our county covers 260 square miles. The population of Tipton County in 2002 was 16,534. The principle occupations in Tipton County are manufacturing jobs. At one time Tipton was a farming community but farming is decreasing.

**Summary of the Comprehensive Community Plan:** The Tipton County Council on Alcohol Tobacco and Other Drugs hold monthly meetings and through a collaborative effort the plan is written. All aspects of the community in attendance were given the opportunity to have input with each problem statement along with recommended actions regarding each statement. The schools were able to furnish stats of drug, alcohol and tobacco use among their students. The police departments were able to give us the numbers involved in local arrests regarding the same problems. As in the past

any group receiving funds from the LCC will be required to give an oral report at each meeting of the funds spent, the population served and the measurable results.

The key problems identified in the plan are:

1. Alcohol and drug abuse is a significant problem with local youth
2. The abuses and misuse of Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drugs has had a negative impact on the quality of life for Tipton County youth and adults.
3. There is no standardized methods of collecting alcohol and drug data in Tipton County.
4. Although resources remain limited for smaller law enforcement agencies the challenges of addressing crime involving drugs and alcohol continues to increase.

## Membership List

**County LCC Name: Tipton County Council on Alcohol Tobacco and Other Drugs**

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## Problem Identification

**Problem Statement #1:** Alcohol and drug abuse is a significant problem with local youth.

**Supportive Data:**

- In 2004 Northern Community School Corporation participated in the Indiana Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug use survey. The following were some of the results:

- Alcohol Monthly Use

- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade 10.5%
- 7<sup>th</sup> Grade 13.9%
- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade 12.1%
- 9<sup>th</sup> Grade 29.9%
- 10<sup>th</sup> Grade 25.0%
- 11<sup>th</sup> Grade 28.3%
- 12<sup>th</sup> Grade 36.7%

- Marijuana Monthly Use

- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade 0%
- 7<sup>th</sup> Grade 1.3%
- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade 4.3%
- 9<sup>th</sup> Grade 11.9%
- 10<sup>th</sup> Grade 9.2%
- 11<sup>th</sup> Grade 13.0%
- 12<sup>th</sup> Grade 11.1%

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- In 2005 Northern Community School Corporation participated in the Indiana Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use survey. The following were some of the significant changes by grade:
- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade: No significant changes
- 7<sup>th</sup> Grade: Marijuana use increased by 1.6% to 2.9%
- Heroin use increased from 0% to 1.5%
- Alcohol use decreased by 5.1% to 8.8%
- Inhalents decreased by 4.8% to 1.5%
- Tranquilizer use decreased by 1% to 1.5%
- Injected drug use decreased by 1% to 1.5%
- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade: Cigarette Smoking increased by 5.3% to 12.2%
- Alcohol Use increased by 2.2 % to 14.3%
- Marijuana use increased by 1.3 % to 4.3%
- Tranquillizer use increased by 4.1% to 7.1%
- Heroin use increased by 1.4% to 2.9%
- Crack use increased from 0% to 4.3%
- 9<sup>th</sup> Grade: Cocaine use increased from 0% to 1.7 %
- Cigarette use decreased by 10.8% to 8.6%
- Smokeless tobacco use decreased by 7% to 3.4 %
- Marijuana use decreased by 6.7% to 5.2%
- Crack use decreased by 1.3% to 1.7 %
- Inhalant use decreased by 5.8% to 1.7%
- Tranquilizer use decreased by 4.3% to 1.7%
- 10<sup>th</sup> Grade: Cigarette use increased by 6.1% to 25.8%
- Cigar use increased by 9.2% to 21%
- Pipe smoking decreased by .5% to 4.8%
- Smokeless Tobacco Use increased by 5.1% to 8.1%
- Alcohol Use increased by 12.1 % to 37.1%
- Inhalent use increased by 2.6% to 6.5%
- Marijuana use decreased by 4.4% to 4.8%
- Ritalin use increased from 0% to 4.8%
- Narcotic use decreased from 1.3% to 0.0%
- Psychedelics decreased by 2.6% to 0%
- 11<sup>th</sup> grade: Cigarette use increased by 2.2 % to 22.1%
- Cigar use increased by 11.3 % to 26.5%
- Smokeless Tobacco use 8.9% to 13.2%
- Alcohol use increased by 2.6% to 30.9%
- Inhalent use increased from 0% to 13.2 %
- Ritalin Use increased from 0% to 4.4%
- Tranquillizer use increased from 0% to 8.8%
- Steroid use decreased by .7% to 1.5%
- 12<sup>th</sup> Graders: Cigarette use increased by 2%
- Cigar use decreased by 13.4% to 11.1%
- Pipe use decreased by 10% to 4.4%
- Smokeless Tobacco use decreased by 13.5 to 8.9%
- Alcohol use decreased by 15.1 % to 26.7%
- Marijuana use decreased by 6.7% to 11.1%
- Cocaine use decreased to 0.0% from 4.1%
- According to the results most 12<sup>th</sup> graders decreased their use of alcohol, tobacco and other drugs.
- Tipton City Police Arrests in 2005 were as follows:
- Methamphetamines Arrests 0
- Alcohol Arrests 34
- Drugs Arrests 5
- Community Corrections reports there were 23 juveniles placed on probation in 2005. 12 of those were convicted of a substance abuse offense with 15 reporting some type of disruption due to substance abuse.

## Year 2 Update:

- Northern Community School System reported the following :
- Drop Outs: None
- Suspended: 73 Students 4 of which were for illegal Tobacco use.
- Expulsions: 5: reasons not listed
- Tipton City Police Arrests were as follows for 2006:
- DRE Task Force: 4 Arrests for OWI all tested positive for stimulents, depressents, or narcotics Assisted Elwood Police Dept with an arrest close to County Line tested positive for stimulents, depressents, cannabis and narcotics
- K9 Unit had the following arrests for 2006: Posession of Legend Drugs, Cocaine, maintaining a common nuisance X3, OWI Endangerment, Possession of Marijauna X3, Resisting Law Enforcement, illegal possession of alcohol, minor consumption. The K9 unit was also used for random Drug searches of both Tipton and Northern Community Schools
- The Bicycle Unit had no arrests for 2006
- The Tipton City Police Department did not participate in Operation Pullover in 2006

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**Objectives:**

- **To provide healthy activities for children and youth, especially after school and during summer break.**
- **Support both county and private school systems in participating in State and National awareness campaigns such as Red Ribbon Week, Kick Butts Day, and The Great American Smoke-Out.**
- **Support and collaborate with other county agencies to increase general public awareness of local issues related to substance abuse reduction efforts and programs**
- **TAP and TEG will be available in both school systems for tobacco youth offenders**
- **Educate parents regarding the significant role they play in preventing alcohol, tobacco and other drug abuse among their children.**
- **Increase awareness and current use of Treatment options in Tipton County**
- **The Boys and Girls Club continue to offer Smart Moves to both school systems thus giving opportunity for several students to learn the affects that drugs, alcohol and tobacco play in their lives**
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- **Utilize TAP/TEG as an alternative to fines in local courts**
- **Continued support of D.A.R.E. Program which is currently being taught in 5<sup>th</sup> grade at all three schools.**
- **Support Tipton High School Positive Peers**
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- Tipton County Council on Alcohol Tobacco and Other Drugs participated in Tipton Hospital Health Fair, Library Health Fair, Tipton County 4H Fair
- Boys and Girls Club offers a Summer Program for Youth. Youth are taken on field trips, swimming activities and through daily seminars they learn about drugs.
- Tipton Middle School SADD conducts a 5<sup>th</sup> grade carnival encouraging the students to join SADD when entering the 6<sup>th</sup> grade.
- Tipton Middle School SADD participates in Safe Halloween
- for children under the age of 12.
- During Red Ribbon week SADD students participate in several activities and daily announcements are made reminding the students why drug, alcohol and tobacco are not the right choices.
- Our local City Judge sends our TAP/TEG instructor youth under the age of 18 who have been caught with tobacco products to take the class instead of paying the fine.
- With only one treatment provider in Tipton County unfortunately participation and cooperation with Tipton Behavioral Services has been limited. We have attempted to keep her involved with the LCC in order to give us treatment options available to the community.
- The DARE program continues in the three school systems in Tipton County.
- Positive Peers continues to be used at Tipton High School for conflict resolution. They have had 2.5 days of training and 8 one hour meetings. They have 17 youth and 4 adult advisors. They have positive interaction daily in school. They were involved in peer mediation on at least 15 different occasions and was even involved in an elementary school incident.
- TYMAD (Tipton County Youth Making a Difference) youth are continually involved with monthly meetings and activities spreading the word against alcohol, tobacco and drugs. TYMAD students participate in several school activities such as the Seat Belt Challenge, Red Ribbon week, Kick Butts Day, and the Great American Smoke Out. TYMAD/SADD students did a Mock Crash followed by a Mock Funeral prior to Prom in 2005. The Junior and Senior classes were able to view the crash and observed the funeral the following day. Other activities were a Teen night held in October. Over 35 students from 9-12<sup>th</sup> grade were able to attend an open night at the Boys and Girls Club where they were able to dance, play pool, basketball, and had snacks. A food drive was also held that same night for our Senior Citizens center.
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- Smart Moves continues to be offered to the 5<sup>th</sup> graders at both school systems.
- There was 42 hours worked by the Bicycle patrol during the Pork Festival, Farm Fest and Halloween.
- There was 43.5 hours worked on the DRE (Drug Recognition and Evaluation)
- Traffic Warnings: 15 (equipment violations)
- Traffic Citations: 4
- Criminal Arrests: 2 Juveniles, one minor consumption of alcohol (was operating a vehicle) one for unlawful entry to a vehicle
- Criminal Arrests: 7 Adults with charges ranging from OWI (4) DWS (1) illegal possession/consumption of alcohol (2), possession of paraphernalia (1) outstanding warrant (1) resisting law enforcement, possession of a controlled substance, criminal mischief, disorderly conduct and unlawful entry to a vehicle (1)
- Assist with other arrests: 2
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## Year 2 Update:

- **The Boys and Girls Club continues to offer Smart Moves and also started a Parents Night Out to assist parents in a safe place for children to go.**
- **The three school systems continue to participate in the Red Ribbon Week, Kick Butts Day, The Great American Smoke Out and other State and National Awareness Programs**
- **The Coalition participates in the local 4-H Fair and the Health Fair sponsored by Tipton Hospital**
- **TAP and TEG is offered in both our county school systems for the youth involved in illegal tobacco use. The local City judge does require offenders of tobacco use to attend TAP and TEG classes instead of the fine.**
- **Education of parents regarding tobacco, alcohol and drug use are done when we participate in the local health and county fairs to help educate parents on the role they play in preventing the abuse of these .**
- **The Tipton Hospital Behavioral Health is still available in the community but due to apparent scheduling conflicts the counselors are not attending the monthly meeting of TCCOATOD.**
- **The Boys and Girls Club continues to offer Smart Moves to both county school systems with over 110 students attending. The curriculum continues to include the affects of drug, alcohol and tobacco use.**
- **TAP AND TEG are offered in the City Court system with 4 underage youth attending classes in 2006.**
- **DARE classes are being taught at all three school systems with both the assistance of the City Police and the Sheriff Dept. The total number of students reached by DARE are 230 students**
- **Positive Peers has had a remarkable year with 24 students actively involved in Peer Counseling. The peer group goes to the middle school and helps to monitor disruptive students and helps to teach them the appropriate way to hand conflicts.**
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## Final Update:

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**Goals:**

- **Fewer Tipton County Youth will use and abuse alcohol, tobacco and other drugs.**
- **The second Goal was removed from original plan because there was no ability to measure the goal.**
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**Year 1 Annual Benchmarks:**

- This past year the Tipton City Police Department started a bicycle patrol in our city. With the bike patrol able to patrol in areas such as the park and the cemetery where patrol cars have difficulty accessing due to visability the bike patrol was able to help detour illegal activity. Please see information under supporative data.
- The Drug Survey at Northern Community School showed significant decrease in 12<sup>th</sup> grade drug, tobacco and alcohol activity. There was a significant increase in Inhalant use in the 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> grade. (Detailed breakdown of these are in the supportive data section).
- The Tipton City Police Department has trained another officer for the DARE program.
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**Year 2 Annual Benchmarks:**

- The bicycle patrol has been successful in 2006. Even though they did not have any arrests the fact that they are out in the community has apparently helped to decrease illegal activity.
- There was no Drug/Alcohol/Tobacco Survey in either one of our school sysystems in 2006. As a coalition we still try to have open discussions with our superintendent on allowing any survey to be completed in Tipton Community School. He feels the Indiana Law asks for written consent instead of implied consent. We will continue to encourage discussion for the implied consent so Tipton Schools can participate in different Surveys so we can get an idea of the ATOD issues we face locally.
- The City Police and Sheriff Dept. work collaberatively in teaching the DARE program to all three schools.
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**Problem Statement #2:** The abuses and misuse of Alcohol, Tobacco and Other drugs has had a negative impact on the quality of life of Tipton County Youth and Adults

**Supportive Data:**

- Primary causes of death in Tipton County related to tobacco, drugs and alcohol were as follows:
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- Liver Failure                      2004  
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- Drug Overdoses 1
- Lung Cancer 6
- Chronic Tobacco Use 0
- Alcohol Intoxication 0
  
- In 2004 there were 14 teen births in Tipton County
  
- The Tipton County Sheriff department has been uncooperative for the past two years after several attempts to obtain local stats
- Tipton City Police Department had the following arrests:
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	2004 Stats	Youth	Adult
• Meth(amphetamines)	2	1	1
• Alcohol Arrests	80	38	42
• Drug Arrests (ATOD)	63	11	52
• - Marijuana	54		
• Prescription Drugs	8		
• Cocaine	1		
• Tobacco	2		

## **Year 1 Update:**

- **The Primary causes of death in Tipton County for 2005 were as follows:**  
**Liver Failure 2**
- **Drug Overdoses 4**
- **Lung Cancer 9**
- **Chronic Tobacco Use 1**
- **Alcohol Intoxication 0**
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- **Single Mother Support Group remains active with 10 single moms in regular attendance.**
- **Tipton City youth arrests for 2005 were as follows**
  - **Methamphetamine 0**
  - **ALcohol Arrests 34**
  - **Drug Arrests 5**
- **Community Corrections reports that there were 80 new probation felony cases in 2005. 41 were convicted of a substance abuse offense with 63 reporting some type of disruption due to substance abuse.**
- **Community Corrections reports that there were 205 new probation misdemeanor cases. 121 were convicted of a substance abuse offense with 107 reporting some type of disruption due to substance abuse.**
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## **Year 2 Update:**

- **The Primary Causes of Death in Tipton County for 2006 were as follows:**
  - **Liver Failure/Cirrhosis 4**
  - **Drug Overdoses 0**
  - **Lung Cancer 5**
  - **Chronic Tobacco Use 0**
  - **Alcohol Intoxication 0**
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- **Single Moms group has dropped in numbers with approximately 7 active members attending monthly meetings**
- **Tipton City Police YOUTH Arrests were as follows for 2006**
  - **Methamphetamine 0**
  - **Alcohol Minor Consumption 1**
  - **Dealing Schedule II Substance 1**
  - **Tobacco use under 18 4**
- **Tipton County Community Corrections reported the following for 2006:**
- **New Adult Felony Cases: 77 with 45 of those were substance abuse convictions**
- **New Adult Misdemeanor cases: 182 with 101 of those with substance abuse convictions**
- **Tipton County Sheriff Department reported the following information:**
- **Operation Pullover: 7 arrests for operating vehicle while intoxicated**
- **Other Arrests: 4 domestic violence**
  - **1 Aggravated Battery**
  - **4 Battery**
  - **6 Harrassement**
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## **Final Update:**

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**Objectives:**

- **Local businesses will be encouraged to do Drug Testing on hiring of potential employees and then random follow-up testing. By having Drug Free workplaces will help to create better role models in our local community.**
- **Increase community awareness regarding Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug issues.**
- **Partner with Tipton Behavioral Services to increase public awareness of services available for treatment and intervention to aid to families.**
- **Assist Single Parent Support Group in participation and increase awareness of alcohol, tobacco and other drug issues their children may face.**
- **TCCOATOD will try to increase its coalition by inviting more local community leaders to become a part of the fight against tobacco, alcohol and drugs.**
- **Partner with Tipton County Tobacco Prevention and Cessation to do community wide Tobacco/Marijuana information seminar**

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**Year 1 Update:**

- Marijuana classes are offered at both High Schools in Tipton County during the health classes. DARE and Smart Moves both have instructions on Marijuana use during the classes.
- Three of our five largest employers do drug testing on all new hires. Drug testing is also done when there is an incident/accident in their facility. One business uses the Drug Swabs and have had no incidents of positive results but also no one has disputed the results as of yet.
- The coalition continues to be involved with the community health fairs, 4-H fair, and school health fair.
- Tipton Behavioral Services has not applied for a grant this past year but continues with the Treatment Group for women of Drug and Alcohol abuse.
- Single Parent Support Group has had several speakers come in and speak on different issues. Some of the topics were as follows: Depression and substance abuse; Self Defense classes;
- Participation in TCCOATOD has decreased in the last few months. We are looking at ways to bring more active people back to the table. During the winter months we had 15 to 20 people in attendance
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**Year 2 Update:**

- **Classes on Marijuana are still offered at both schools along with Smart Moves and DARE**
- **Three local businesses have implemented Drug Testing Policies for all new hires and current employee's**
- **We have booths with information on Drugs, Alcohol, and Tobacco use at the health fairs and 4-H fairs that we attend**
- **Tipton Behavioral Services still does not attend our meetings so getting any type of report on the services they offer is hard.**
- **Single Parent Group has not had as many participants this past year. They continue to have speakers come to their group on different issues.**
- **TCCOATOD still has a good group of people attending the monthly meetings but lack attendance in some important areas espically in the Behavioral Service area. We will hope that next year we can get them to attend at least a quarterly meeting.**
- **In the current numbers received in 2006 it appears that arrests have decreased for Alcohol, Tobacco and other Drugs**
- **Adult Tobacco Cessation classes have increased the past year. We have had over 55 different adults taking the classes. Of those 15 have remained tobacco free.**

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**Goals:**

- **Local businesses will implement drug testing policies**
- **The information seminar on Tobacco and Marijuana will have reached fifty families**
- **Single Parent Support Group will increase by 5 in 2005 thus reaching more parents with information regarding alcohol, tobacco and other drugs for their children**

- Alcohol tobacco and other drug arrests will decrease
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#### **Year 1 Annual Benchmarks:**

- We have three major employers that have implemented a drug testing policy for new hires and for those that are injured on the job.
- The Tobacco and Marijuana information reached an additional 125 families. A special class on Marijuana is taught at Tipton High School Health classes four times per year.
- Single Parent Support group will continue to reach out to others in the community through church organizations and other areas to increase parents knowledge of the issues that face their children with drugs, alcohol and tobacco. This group did not increase their participation in 2005 but will work toward increasing those participants this coming year.
- With this being an election year will try to get new sheriff candidates on board to help with the data that is needed to help with our local drug, alcohol and tobacco issues.
- With the help of the coalition we have assisted the City Police Department with the purchase of a Drug Dog and will have data for next year on the times the dog was used and arrests that were made because of the useage of the Dog.
- In 2004 according to the Tipton Police Department (youth arrests) there was 1 Methamphetamine Arrest but none in 2005, Alcohol arrests were down from 38 in 2004 to 34 in 2005 of those under the age of 21, and drug arrests under the age of 18 were 12 in 2004 and 5 in 2005.
- We are unable to measure these numbers county wide due to the sheriff Department not cooperating and providing information for our plan.
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#### **Year 2 Annual Benchmarks:**

- TCCOATOD continues to participate in local Health Fairs, 4-H fair to increase community knowledge.
- The Tobacco and Marijuana classes have now been opened up to Tri Central School thus increasing our number of teens reached to 175 in 2006.

- The Single Parent support group has not increased in the number of participants this past year. A few of the ones attending have remarried thus not qualifying for the program. The support group activities are advertised through churches and in the daily newspaper.
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**Problem Statement #3:** There are no standardized methods of collecting alcohol and drug data in Tipton County.

**Supportive Data:**

- 2003-2004 Northern Community School Corporation numbers for High School were as follows:
  - Dropouts 0
  - Suspensions 7 Tobacco/smoking
  - Expulsions 1 Alcohol
- 2003-2004 Tipton Community School Corporation numbers for High School were as follows:
  - Dropouts 0
  - Expulsions 4
  - Suspensions 9 Tobacco/Marijuana
  - 6 Drugs
- Other agencies in Tipton County lack readily available substance abuse statistics
  - Mustard Seed
  - Tipton Hospital
  - Tipton Behavioral Services
  - Tipton County Sheriff Department
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**Year 1 Update:**

- 2004-2005 Northern Community School Corporation numbers for High School were as follows:
  - Dropouts 0
  - Expulsions 2 Alcohol
  - 2 Drugs
  - Suspensions 4 Tobacco
- 2004-2005 Tipton Community School Corporation numbers for High School were as follows:
  - Dropouts 2
  - Expulsions 3
  - 1 Alcohol
  - 2 Drugs
  - Suspensions 8 Tobacco/Marijuana
- TCCOATOD continue to discuss with the Tipton Community School Corporation options in the changing of the policy from active consent to passive consent.
- TCCOATOD is working with the Northern Community School Board to improve their Drug Testing policy. Currently they do random drug testing but the school does not receive the results and only parents are notified if the testing is positive.
- TCCOATOD continues to try to communicate with Tipton Behavioral Services with no response from that group.
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**Year 2 Update:**

- 2005-2006 Northern Community School Corporation numbers were as follows:
  - Drop Outs: 0
  - Suspended: 73 4 of which were for Illegal Tobacco use
  - Expulsions: 5 with no specific reason given
- TCCOATOD has sent several letters to the Northern Community School Board requesting a Drug Policy Revision but we have had no response.
- Tipton Behavioral Services still fail to attend our meetings or give us the information we need to complete our plans
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**Objectives:**

- With collaboration of Local Youth Service Organizations Tipton Community School Corporation will change their policy of active

- consent to passive consent and thus allowing for the Search Institute Survey to be completed in the 2004-2005 school year.**
- **Northern Community School Corporation already has passive consent policy in place and survey can be initiated in 2004-2005 school year.**
  - **Local treatment agency will be contacted for adult statistics regarding alcohol, tobacco and other drugs.**
  - **Get agencies to track ATOD issues**
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- The coalition has met with the Tipton Community School Corporation Superintendent on several occasions regarding changing of the policy for consent. At present the policy change is still in the policy committees hands.
- The coalition has to wait until Tipton changes their policy before we can administer Search Institutes Survey due to not having enough students to get a good result.
- The Tipton Behavioral Services has not returned calls to be able to get stats for the alcohol, tobacco and other drugs patients.
- Will continue to attempt to get Tipton County Sheriff Department to be a part of our coalition and thus having stats available on a more timely basis.
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**Year 2 Update:**

- Tipton Community School Corporation is at a standstill as far as the policy change for active consent to passive consent so the Search Survey can be completed.
- The Behavioral Services of Tipton Co. still does not give the stats that is needed for our community report
- Due to Search Institutes policy it is suggested that to do the survey it would be best to have both school complete the survey to get an accurate accounting of Tipton County Youth.
- It takes many phone call and e-mails to be able to get the stats needed
- to complete our yearly plan update. I am hoping that in 2008 we will be able to encourage different agencies to get the numbers to us by a certain date such as April 1, 2008 regarding the 2007 numbers
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**Goals:**

- Local service organizations will provide statistics for Tipton County Council on Alcohol Tobacco and Other Drugs
- Data will be more readily available regarding alcohol tobacco and other drugs in our community
- There will be a method of Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug data being identified and collected in Tipton County

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### **Year 1 Annual Benchmarks:**

- **The following agencies had input and provided data and information for our updated plan:**
  - **Northern Community School Corporation**
  - **Tipton Community School Corporation**
  - **Tipton County Health Department**
  - **Tipton City Police Department**
  - **Tipton Community Corrections**
  - **Boys and Girls Club of Tipton County**
- **We have adjusted goals from original plan to better address stated problem.**
- **No method of data collection has been identified, but LCC is still wanting a unified system to assist in collection of this information.**
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### **Year 2 Annual Benchmarks:**

- **The following agencies supplied stats for our 2006 plan update:**
  - **Northern Community School Corporation**
  - **Tipton County Health Department**
  - **Tipton City Police Department**
  - **Tipton County Sheriff Department**

- **Tipton County Community Corrections**
- **Data is still hard to accumulate locally and TCCOATOD will try to address this for the next years plan.**
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**Problem Statement #4:** Although resources remain limited for smaller law enforcement agencies the challenges of addressing crime involving drugs and alcohol continues to increase.

**Supportive Data:**

- 2004 SYNAR Check in Tipton County proved that none of the 12 retail tobacco stores sold to students under the age of 18
- Tipton City Police Department had the following youth arrests for 2004
  - Methamphetamines 1
  - Alcohol Arrests 38
  - Drug Arrests 12
- Tipton City Police Department had the following arrests:
 

	2004 Stats	Youth	Adult
• Meth(amphetamines)	2	1	1
• Alcohol Arrests	80	38	42
• Drug Arrests (ATOD)	63	11	52
• - Marijuana	54		
• Prescription Drugs	8		
• Cocaine	1		
• Tobacco	2		
- Tipton Police Department also reports 14 Domestic Violence arrests related to alcohol/drugs.
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- We have contacted the Sheriffs Department on several attempts but still have no cooperation on statistics we need.

**Year 1 Update:**

- The SYNAR check in 2005 proved that none of the 10 retail stores sold to students under the age of 18.
- In 2005 Tipton City Police had the following youth arrests:
  - Methamphetamine 0
  - Alcohol Arrests 34
  - Drugs Arrests 5
- Total Arrests were down from 51 to 39 in 2005 for our local city police department
- • There was 42 hours worked by the Bicycle patrol during the Pork Festival, Farm Fest and Halloween.
- • There was 43.5 hours worked on the DRE (Drug Recognition and Evaluation)
- • Traffic Warnings: 15 (equipment violations)
- • Traffic Citations: 4
- • Criminal Arrests: 2 Juveniles, one minor consumption of alcohol (was operating a vehicle) one for unlawful entry to a vehicle
- • Criminal Arrests: 7 Adults with charges ranging from OWI (4) DWS (1) illegal possession/consumption of alcohol (2), possession of paraphernalia (1) outstanding warrant (1) resisting law enforcement, possession of a controlled substance, criminal mischief, disorderly conduct and unlawful entry to a vehicle (1)
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**Year 2 Update:**

- There has not been a SYNAR check in Tipton County for two years.
- Tipton City Police YOUTH Arrests were as follows for drug/alcohol in 2006
  - • Methamphetamine 0
  - • Alcohol Minor Consumption 1
  - • Dealing Schedule II Substance 1
  - • Tobacco use under 18 4
- Total City Youth Arrests were: 39 which was the same as 2005.
- The DRE had a total of 5 OWI arrests all of which Drugs were involved.
- The K9 Unit had 5 arrests 4 of which had drugs involved and OWI. The K9 unit also assists with surrounding departments as well as school searches several times per year
- The Tipton City Police does not participate in OPO
- The Sheriff department gave the following report for 2006 with OPO:
  - 7 OWI's
- Other Arrests with the Sheriff Dept are as follows:
  - 4 Domestic Violence
  - 1 Aggravated Battery
  - 4 Battery
  - 6 Harassment Arrests
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**Objectives:**

- **Encourage local city police to re-implement Operation Pull Over**
- **Encourage the new Sheriff himself/and or to appoint local deputy to attend LCC monthly meetings,**
- **Will work with local city and county law enforcement to enforce the tobacco law of teens smoking uner 18 years of age**
- **Will work with local Tobacco Prevention and Cessation group on SYNAR/TRIP retail compliance checks**
- **Will support tobacco education/prevention and cessation programs for youth and adults**
- **Increase the severity of consequences for Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug offenders as well as arrests from crimes related to alcohol, tobacco and other drugs.**
- **Assist local law enforcement in acquiring necessary equipment regarding alcohol, tobacco and other drugs**

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**Year 1 Update:**

- Our local Sheriffs Department does participate in Operation Pullover but they have not released the information to our coalition. We have encouraged our local Tipton City Police Department to participate in Operation Pullover but they continue to refuse because there is not enough reimbursement offered to the department.
- This is an election year for the sheriff and we are planning on inviting both candidates to come be a part of the coalition.
- We have no record with the City Police Department of any Tobacco Arrests. The City judge gets tobacco referrals from the school and then gives them the option of taking the TAP/TEG course or paying the fine. There is no recourse if they do not complete the class. The fine can not be enforced.
- Our TYMAD students were willing to assist with the SYNAR checks but no SYNAR checks were completed statewide.
- TAP/TEG classes are offered on an on going basis. Tobacco/Marijuana classes are taught at both school systems and students who smoke are given the choice to attend the classes. Quit Smart classes are taught to any adult wanting to quit.
- Have met with county judge to make sure he is assessing fines on alcohol and drug cases he sees in his court.
- We have helped to purchase a Drug Dog for our Tipton City Police department. They were having issues sharing the county Drug Dog so with some funds from our coalition and other donations the dog was purchased.

**Year 2 Update:**

- The Tipton City Police Dpeartment feel as though they do not have the man power to do OPO and feel the reimbursement is not equivelant enough to do.
- We have a new Sheriff as of January 2007 and he is actively involved in the TCCOATOD and is cooperating in getting numbers from 2006
- The Tipton City Police Department did arrest 4 Juveniles for underage Tobacco Use.
- We did not get the SYNAR completed for the 2006 year.
- Tipton County Tobacco Prevention continue to have cessation classes for adults and TAP and TEG are offered to youth who have been cited for illegal tobacco use
- It seems as though with the arrest records given for the plan, arrests seem to be down for the alcohol, tobacco and drugs.
- Tipton City Police Department purchased Digital Video equipment for their interogation room with grant dollars
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***Please attach the County's Fiscal Report for review!***

**Next Annual Update Due: May 2008**

**Next Comprehensive Community Plan Due: May 2008**

**Date of Community Consultant Review: July 15, 2007/August 6, 2007**

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The information and data provided is presented as factual and accurate. I hereby acknowledge that I can be asked to submit proper documentation regarding the data submitted within the Plan. Failure to do so could result in a "denied approval" by the Commission under IC 5-2-6-16.

The Local Drug Free Communities Fund must be spent according to the goals identified within the plan. I hereby acknowledge that I can be asked to submit proper documentation regarding funds that are collected, allocated, and disbursed within the county. Failure to do so could result in a "denied approval" by the Commission under IC 5-2-6-16.

**Initials: DB**

# Tipton County

## LOCAL DRUG FREE COMMUNITIES FUND INFORMATION

**(1) Amount deposited into the drug-free communities fund during the most recent, complete calendar year, per the County Auditor:**

- In 2005 the Tipton County Auditor's office deposited \$10,355.00 into the LCC's Drug-Free Community Fund from fees collected.
- \$4,713.00 rolled over from unused 2004 funds.
- \$33,985.00 total amount available for 2005 programs and administrative costs.
- \$0.00 allocated for administrative costs leaving \$33,985.00 available for 2006 programming

**(2) Fund allocation by category, including a brief description of the purpose of the grant funding:**

CATEGORY	APPLICANT/PROJECT & PROGRAM description	AMOUNT REQUESTED	AMOUNT AWARDED
Law Enforcement/Judicial	Bicycle Patrol Overtime pay and Field Test kits/Dare Training	\$2,417.50	\$2,417.50
Law Enforcement/Judicial	To help purchase K-9 Drug Dog	\$1,710.50	\$1,710.50
Treatment	Tipton Co. Tobacco Prevention for Cessation Drugs for smokers who try to quit smoking.	\$2500.00	\$2500.00
Prevention/Education	Scott Bennington/Search Institute Conference	\$250.00	\$250.00
Prevention/Education	Boys and Girls Club/Smart Girls Program	\$500.00	\$500.00
Prevention/Education	Shelly Ross/Debby Bennington/ Search Institute National Conference	\$800.00	\$800.00
Prevention/Education	Tipton High School Positive Peers	\$500.00	\$500.00
Prevention/Education	Tri Central High School SADD group	\$500.00	\$500.00
Prevention/Education	Tipton Middle School Red Ribbon week	\$500.00	\$500.00
Prevention/Education	Tipton Middle School SADD	\$400.00	\$400.00



<b>TOTAL</b>	None

- (6) **Provide amount and explanation of any unused dollars from previous years:**

**Rollover was money left in account but not allocated or invested by the county. Our LCC did not have an approved plan for a significant amount of time after inception of the system, so there was a build-up in the fund. As a group we have decided to allocate \$12,000 for 2006, which is more than collection, but want to be fiscally responsible with the \$30,000 in the fund. We don't allocate all of the extra funds in one year because of the limited collections we receive.**